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WESTFIELD THEATRE PRESENTS



Winter One Act Festival

STUDENT DIRECTED

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 9, 7:00 PM

i don't go outside by TJ Brescia
directed by TJ Brescia

Environmental Support Group by Anusha Krishnan
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Antigone Now (VTF, VHSL) by Melissa Cooper
directed by Zoe Brennan & Mackenzie Vance

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 10, 7:00 PM

Checking In by Tracy Wells
directed by Diya Mohanty & Mackenzie Vance

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AND FEATURING...
VTF Thespy Presentations!



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ONE-ACT SYNOPSES

***i don't go outside* by TJ Brescia**

Directed by TJ Brescia

Settled in an alternate reality, a strange disease/virus/whatchamacallit has spread amongst teens all across the US. Hubert, a young boy living in Los Angeles has contracted this...thing...which has made him physically unable to leave his room. Having to deal with his mysterious "roommate", Brian, and a media-driven world, Herbert attempts to get better.

***The Environmental Support Group* by Anusha Krishnan**

Directed by Anusha Krishnan

There are three main characters that represent the air, earth and water. Each element has their own conflicting personality. They have a support group to help them cope with all of the pollution. This play follows their meeting during four different time periods and exposed the differences in pollution.

***Antigone Now* by Melissa Cooper**

(Virginia Theatre Festival and Virginia High School League competition piece)

Directed by Zoe Brennan and Mackenzie Vance

In the midst of a bombed-out city still feeling the aftershocks of war, the rebellious and intense Antigone defies her uncle to bury her disgraced brother. This contemporary response to the myth of Antigone brings powerful, modern prose to an ancient and universal story.

***Checking In* by Tracy Wells**

Directed by Diya Mohanty and Mackenzie Vance

At the Regency Arms Hotel, the comfort of the guests comes first- and no one knows that better than bellhop Bernard and housekeeper Natasha. But while Bernard tries to woo Natasha, and manage the guests luggage, it's the other baggage the guests brought that keeps him on his toes! *Checking In* tells a lifetime of stories including an expectant mom going into labor, a teenager learning to see the world beyond a screen, a couple finding love, the craziness of traveling with kids, and finally, waiting too long to take that dream vacation. These stories, and more, reflect the theme that "life is a journey-travel it well" and remind us that as we travel through life, it's the people we journey with who make it special.

ONE-ACT DIRECTORS



TJ Brescia

Director and Playwright, *i don't go outside*

This is TJ's directorial debut at Westfield! TJ was previously seen as an actor in Miss Holmes (Michael/Reginald/Orderly 2) and The Lost Prince (Jasper) for Westfield's previous Winter One-Act Festival. TJ would like to thank his family and cast for always being open to his weird ideas! 2025



Anusha Krishnan

Director and Playwright, *The Environmental Support Group*

Anusha was previously seen as Annie in The Play That Goes Wrong, Luke in The Lightning Thief: The Percy Jackson Musical, and Head of Marketing/Publicity for Miss Holmes. Anusha would like to thank her amazing cast, crew, and people who helped her bring her dream to life. 2025



Zoe Brennan

Co-Director, *Antigone Now*

Zoe was previously seen as Sherlock Holmes in Miss Holmes, Katie Gardner in The Lightning Thief: The Percy Jackson Musical, and Jacinda in The Lost Prince. She would like to thank her casts, co-director, and tech crews for helping make both of her shows successful ones! 2024



Mackenzie Vance

Co-Director, *Antigone Now and Checking In*

Mackenzie was previously seen as Lizzie in Miss Holmes, & Anna in Frozen Kids. She would like to thank her amazing cast and crew for bringing these shows to life, and her family and friends for supporting her and her dreams! 2024



Diya Mohanty

Co-Director, *Checking In*

Diya was previously seen as the stage manager for Miss Holmes, The Lightning Thief: The Percy Jackson Musical, and The Play That Goes Wrong. Diya would like to thank her theatre friends, specifically Mackenzie Vance and Zoe Brennan, for their continuous support this year. She would also like to thank Dr. G-H for constantly pushing her to be better. Shoutout spell squad as always <3 2024

ONE-ACT FESTIVAL CAST

i don't go outside

Herbert	Levi Funk
Brian	Graci Vlattas
Lottie Spektikal	Thursday Butler
Eric Moorshow	Lilli McNerney
Scientist/ Officer	TJ Craypoff
Victim	Grace Costanzo
Uma Starr/ Teen 1	Kylie Brown
Isaac Dobeater/ Teen 2	Ty Showalter
Another Officer/ Teen 3	Jozi Hunter
Parent/ Teen 4	Rebecca Zanotti

The Environmental Support Group

Terra	Quinn Adnan
Aeris	Grace Lopez
Delta	Arsema Kelkey

Antigone Now

Antigone	Spoorthi Nadkarni
Ismene	Diya Mohanty
Creon	TJ Craypoff
Chorus Lead	Mary Campbell
Chorus	Annabelle DuBard
Chorus	Gwendolyn Eagle
Chorus	Zachary Abdelmotalib
Chorus	Morgan Palmer
Chorus	Athulya Nair
Chorus	Zuni Khan

Checking In

Bernard	Morgan Palmer
Natasha	Kiera McCrea
Ms. Humpries	Zoe Brennan

ONE-ACT FESTIVAL CAST

Checking In (continued)

Jenny	Nolyn Creagan
Martha	Kylie Brown
Helga	Caroline Nelson
Mom-to-Be	Brenna Pond
Dad-to-Be	Lilli McNerney
Mother	Zoe Brennan
Daughter	Rebecca Zanotti
John Spencer	TJ Craypoff
Mom	Kylie Brown
Dad	Lilli McNerney
Mabel	Grace Costanzo
Chuck	TJ Craypoff
Widow	Naba Farooqui

2024 Virginia Theater Festival Thespy Superior Recipients

(Performances February 10th)

Thespy Solo Acting *Antigone & Singin' in the Rain*,

Anusha Krishnan

Thespy Solo Acting *The Property Known As Garland & Circus Olympus*,

Spoorthi Nadkarni

Thespy Solo Acting *Emotional Creature & Silent Sky*,

Diya Mohanty

Thespy Musical Theatre Solo "Breathe" from *In the Heights*,

Mackenzie Vance

Thespy Solo Acting *The Crucible & Puffs*,

Annabelle DuBard

Portfolio/Presentations

Stage Management: *Miss Holmes*, **Diya Mohanty**

Scenic Design: *Percy Jackson: The Lightning Thief*, **Eloise Latimer**

ONE-ACT FESTIVAL

Crew Members

One-Act Producer and Production Manager	Dr. Enza Giannone-Hosig
Stage Manager (Friday)	Jonathan Duncan
Stage Manager (Saturday)	Eden Teni
Assistant Stage Manager	Eloise Latimer
Set Design & Stage Crew	Chloe Lupo
Set Design & Stage Crew	Zachary Abdelmotalib
Set Design & Stage Crew	Rachel Shore
Set Design & Stage Crew	Naba Farooqui
Lighting Head of Team	Aidan Petrinjak
Lighting Team	Ella Mescher
Lighting Team	Vinita Adhira
Sound Head of Team	Nathan Brogdon
Sound Team	Brandon Hill
Sound Team	Lana Johnson
Sound Team	Stella Moyer
Costumes Head of Team	Ameerah Byfield
Costumes Team	Jaylah Bunch
Costumes Team/ Hair and Makeup Team	Karis Kim
Costumes Team	Brandon Crevoisier
Hair and Makeup Head of Team	Arsema Kelkay
Props Head of Team	Ridah Mahjabeen
Hair and Makeup/ Props Team	Iris Cooper

PHOTOS



Winter One-Act Festival Production Team



Cast and playwright/director of "i don't go outside"

PHOTOS



Cast and playwright/director of "The Environmental Support Group"



Cast and directors of "Antigone Now"



Cast and directors of "Checking In"

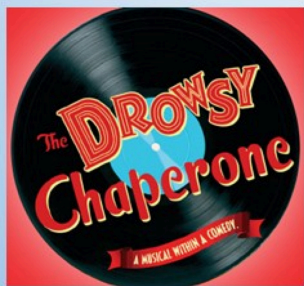
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May 2 @ 7pm
May 3 @ 7pm
May 4 @ 2pm & 7pm



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Directed by Gregory Stowers

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Callbacks – May 19 from noon–5pm

Rehearsals – June 10-14 (some cast called) 5pm–8pm

and June 17 – July 11, 5pm – 9pm (all called)

Performances – July 12, 13, 14, 19, 20

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